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The Applicants submit herewith Form PTO-1449 together with a copy of the publication listed therein. A copy of the corresponding Chinese Office Action dated January 12, 2007 and an English translation is also enclosed. The document is submitted to comply with 37 C.F.R. §1.56. The enclosed publication is believed related in view of its mention in the Office Action for the reasons stated.

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